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Enclosed Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.116

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/497,801 Docket No.: YOR919990201US1

Dear Examiner Hutton:

Enclosed for filing is an Amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed on November 23, 2005, which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

Sean M. McGinn

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 23, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.